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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: MARR
SUBJECT: PROPOSED REDUCTION MAAG STRENGTH (OPRED)

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EMBASSY BONN BELIEVES (AS DOES MAAG) THAT MAAG CAN BE REDUCED SIX SPACES WITHOUT SERIOUSLY HAMPERING ITS EFFECTIVENESS. THE EMBASSY DOES, HOWEVER, WISH TO UNDERSCORE ITS BELIEF THAT THE MAAG IS PROVIDING SOLID ASSISTANCE TO THE US BALANCE-OF-PAYMENTS POSITION THROUGH ITS SALES EFFORTS IN THIS KEY MARKET. THE MAAG IS, IN ADDITION, AN IMPORTANT FACTOR IN MAINTAINING THE EVEN TENOR OF US/FRG POLITICO-MILITARY RELATIONS IN A COUNTRY WHICH IS UNIQUE BECAUSE OF THE NUMBER OF US TROOPS STATIONED HERE. THEREFORE, THE EMBASSY WOULD BE OPPOSED TO REDUCTIONS BEYOND THOSE REFERRED TO IN REFTEL.
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